

STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	887	875	745	861
ACREAGE	206,148	203,646	205,954	240,936
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	232	233	276	280
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	161	182	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)				
LAND & BUILDINGS	298,920	319,743	331,008	281,916
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	94,903	62,251	62,644	56,289
CROPLAND (ACRES)				
TOTAL	130,695	123,017	128,752	147,338
HARVESTED	103,753	96,595	99,532	109,370
IRRIGATED	724	831	742	316
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	81,970	77,598	81,263	73,267
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	92,413	88,683	109,078	85,095
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM				
AVERAGE (\$)	13,447	14,863	17,182	18,539
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)				
CATTLE & CALVES	53,108	22,384	21,487	27,317
BEEF COW S	1,534	2,087	1,532	1,798
MILK COW S	24,810	26,090	28,003	31,605
HOGS & PIGS	959	841	260	602
SHEEP & LAMBS	3,251	2,408	2,101	1,272
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	2,996	D	D	D
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	D	134	0	D
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	7,355	8,386	12,416	12,670
CORN, SILAGE OR GREEN CHOP	25,243	26,443	27,206	26,519
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	142	N	N	N
WHEAT	285	N	N	N
BARLEY	64	N	N	N
OATS	188	399	453	767
RICE	N	N	N	N
SUNFLOWER SEED	N	N	N	N
COTTON	N	N	N	N
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	432	N	N	N
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	N	N	N	N
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	202	336	231	152
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	73,013	63,250	62,969	73,510

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VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	63	46	42	27
ACREAGE	1,100	737	925	564
ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N	23	25	25
ACREAGE	435	217	426	481
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	547	478	513	587
NON-FARMING	340	260	232	274
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	265	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	29.88%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	4,468	650	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	16,860	3,989	N/A	N/A

1/AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRASS, GRASS SILAGE, GREEN CHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.